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## Jubilee prayer for the 175<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the apparition of the Blessed Virgin Mary at La Salette

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O Mary, Mother of Reconciliation,  
as we dedicate this year to you  
we rejoice to call you blessed.

God the Father chose you as a favored daughter  
to carry out his providential plan of Salvation.  
The Son of God willed you to be his Mother and Disciple,  
when, to save humanity, he assumed humanity.  
The Holy Spirit loved you,  
and fashioned you into his living temple,  
and showered you with extraordinary gifts.

At La Salette, with tears of light,  
you showed us your crucified Son;  
you spoke the language of the humble;  
you gave your message to Maximin and Melanie  
so that it might be made known to all “your People”  
of every language and culture;

obtain for us the grace to accept and love one another,  
and to work together for justice and peace.  
To you, O Mother, Reconciler of sinners,  
Pathway of hope and peace among peoples and cultures,  
we confidently entrust all humanity and our “common home,”  
and the fears and hopes that inhabit them.  
Speak once more to Jesus, your Son, that, like you,  
we too may do whatever he tells us. Amen.